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Utah Coal Program
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Subj: Request for an Extension to Resolve Deficiencies Related to Appendix VII (Old Waste Rock Site), PacifiCorp, Cottonwood/Wilberg, C/015/019, AM00A-1.

PacifiCorp, by and through its wholly-owned subsidiary, Energy West Mining Company ("Energy West"), hereby requests an extension to resolve deficiencies cited in the TA dated March 4, 2002. Appendix 7 was conditionally approved on March 1, 2000 (clean copies sent to the Division on April 16, 2001). Energy West received deficiencies related to Appendix VII on March 8, 2002. Energy West resolved some of the very same deficiencies with the former soil specialist (Bob Davidson) in preparation of the original amendment and the Phase 1 Bond Release Application. Energy West requests that the Division grant a 30 day extension with the responses due April 29, 2002. The extension request will allow Energy West time to resolve and clarify the deficiencies cited in the TA dated March 4, 2002.

If there are any concerns with this request, please call me at (435) 687-4720 or Dennis Oakley at (435) 687-4825.

Sincerely,

Charles A. Semborski
Geology/Permitting Supervisor

cc: Carl Pollastro (EWMC)
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